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| TRANSMITTAL LETTER | | | Case No. 11336/616 |
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| Serial No. 09/375,309 | Filing Date August 16, 1999 | Examiner Angela A. Armstrong | Group Art Unit 2654 |
| Inventor(s) Pierre Zakarauskas | | | |
| Title of Invention NOISY ACOUSTIC SIGNAL ENHANCEMENT | | | |

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Petition for Extension of Time - 1 Month (in dup.), Amendment, . . . Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (in dup.), PTO 1449, 8 Cited References, Checks for \$110 and \$180 for fees, and return post card.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Petition for a 1 month extension of time.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest No. Previously Paid For | Present Extra |
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| First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim | | | | |

| Small Entity | | or | Other Than Small Entity | |
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| Rate | Add'l Fee | | Rate | Add'l Fee |
| x \$9 = | | | x \$18 = | |
| x 43 = | | | x \$86 = | |
| + \$145 = | | | + \$290 = | |
| Total add'l fee | \$ | | Total add'l fee | \$ |

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$_____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Checks in the amounts of \$110 and \$180 to cover the filing fees are enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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